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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 41.31(a)(3), Applicant(s) hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the final rejection of claims 1, 5-8, 12, 13 and 17-19 in the above-identified application, as set forth in the Office Action mailed June 23, 2009.

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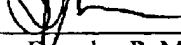
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